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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

SIR:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure, Applicants herewith submit a copy of the U.S. Patent No. 5,309,592 which generally relates to the art of a floor cleaning apparatus.

Consideration and entry of the reference into the record is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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